

Mystic Streetscape

Project Update

Town of Groton

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Phase 1, Issue 3



Since the Mystic Streetscape Project in Groton began in mid-October 2010, the installation of a new sewer line from Gravel Street to the Mystic Drawbridge has been completed (which will serve the new bridge house as part of the Bridge Rehabilitation Project), and the first block of sidewalk from Gravel Street to the bridge has also been completed (which includes conduit being placed under the sidewalk.) This was one of the most challenging areas of the project due to not only the extreme weather conditions, but also, the excavation depth that was necessary for the new sewer line.



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Looking Forward

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The majority of the work between now and Labor Day will take place off the downtown portion of West Main Street. The next segment of work over the next 2 months includes:

Work at the Gravel Street pump station on the sidewalks is nearing completion following major utility work which took place at the site, including installation of transformer pads for the undergrounding of utilities. The sidewalks on the first block of Gravel Street have been completed and electrical work will begin soon behind the buildings in this area (Area 5 C). Road re-paving along Gravel Street will be undertaken shortly.

Work has begun on the west side of Pearl Street. The sidewalks will be replaced along the area approximately 200 feet north from the intersection with W. Main Street. After completion of the west side of Pearl Street, work will take place along the east side and end just north of Harp & Hound.

Drainage improvements will be undertaken on both sides of Bank Street (60 feet from the intersection of West Main Street), and curbing and sidewalks on the east side will be installed.

The next work will take place in Areas 10 and 11, Bank Street to High Street and will include new sidewalks on the north side and some sidewalk replacement on the south side, as well as intersection improvements.

Part of the Streetscape Project includes undergrounding utilities from the Drawbridge up to the area of High Street. Removal of the utility poles will be toward the end of the project after the infrastructure for cable and street lights is completed. We expect the electrical service between the bridge and Gravel Street (Area 1) to be placed underground within the next month or so.



NEXT AREAS:

- Pearl Street – West side
- Pearl Street – East side
- Bank Street – Drainage improvements and curbing and sidewalks (east side)
- Sidewalks in Area 10
- Sidewalks in Area 11
- Utility work in Areas 5C, 5D, and 6